



Docket No.: 059516-0052

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Zi-kui LIU, et al. : Confirmation Number: 1022
Application No.: 10/784,899 : Group Art Unit: 1762
Filed: February 24, 2004 : Examiner: Brian K. Talbot
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated September 2, 2005, now due to expire December 2, 2005, be extended for two month(s) and set to expire on February 2, 2006. The first month's extension of time fee was paid on December 30, 2005. Therefore, only the second month's extension fee is currently due.

Please charge the second month's extension fee of \$165.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

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